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NOTIFICATION TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM CONTRACT AMOUNTS FOR TWO DILIGENT RECRUITMENT PROGRAM CONTRACTS

This is to notify the Board that I have used Board delegated authority to increase two Diligent Recruitment program contracts by 10 percent of their total maximum contract sums. Kidsave International (Kidsave) and Anne E. Nicoll, Ph.D., (Grant Evaluator) contracts were adopted by the Board on February 7, 2012.

The total funding increase for Kidsave is \$45,325, and the increase for the Grant Evaluator is \$6,120, funded 100 percent by federal grant funds. This increases the maximum contract amounts for Kidsave from \$453,248 to \$498,573, and the Grant Evaluator from \$61,200 to \$67,320, for this federal fiscal year ending September 2013.

The objective of the Diligent Recruitment program is to recruit families and increase resources to meet the needs of children that are in the County's Foster Care and Probation systems by increasing the number of adoptive families and permanent adult connections for children who are deaf, hard of hearing, older African-American, Latino youth and other targeted groups and to increase cultural competency of staff and community partners, particularly regarding Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Questioning youth and adults.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call me or your staff may contact Aldo Marin, Board Liaison, at (213) 351-5530.

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